

# Preface

The 48th Annual Purdue Road School was well attended by members of all cooperating groups. The efforts of all who gave freely of their time toward the success of this venture is gratefully acknowledged.

## REGISTRATION

The official registration totaled 1,173. The following tabulation shows the classified Road School registrations over the past five years.

### *Classified Road School Registrations*

	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
State Highway Personnel .....	232	254	304	315	337
County Road Supervisors and Employees.....	71	82	88	96	103
County Surveyors, Engineers, and Deputies	67	52	57	66	60
County Commissioners .....	102	152	172	192	184
County Auditors .....	10	8	6	14	7
City Officials .....	55	52	73	79	78
Contractors, Materials and Equipment					
Suppliers .....	172	146	187	232	232
Miscellaneous .....	133	145	133	167	173
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>842</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>1,020</b>	<b>1,161</b>	<b>1,173</b>



Fig. 1. Early arrivals at the 48th annual Purdue Road School complete their registration preceding the opening session Monday. Shown left to right are Frank Ester, planning engineer, and F. L. Ashbaucher, engineer of roads, both of the State Highway Department; Arthur F. Buerkle, Tippecanoe county surveyor; and John D. Antrim, instructor in civil engineering at Purdue, who assisted with registration.

## COOPERATING GROUPS

The 1962 official directory of the Road School cooperating groups is as follows:

### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

1961-1962 Officers

Purdue University

Frederick L. Hovde .....	President
G. A. Hawkins .....	Dean, Schools of Engineering
P. N. Powers.....	Director, Engineering Experiment Station
M. B. Scott .....	Associate Director, Engineering Experiment Station
K. B. Woods .....	Head, School of Civil Engineering; Director, Joint Highway Research Project
H. L. Michael .....	Professor of Highway Engineering and Associate Director, Joint Highway Research Project
J. F. McLaughlin .....	Associate Professor of Civil Engineering; Chairman 48th Annual Road School



Fig. 2. George M. Foster, executive director of the Indiana State Highway Commission, left, had no more than finished a speech in which he pleaded for talented, young engineers to find careers in state highway programming when he got his first applicant, Gordon Shunk, Kankakee, Ill., a Purdue candidate for the master degree in highway planning. Shunk, who is a 1961 Purdue graduate with a bachelor's degree in civil engineering, gets briefed by Foster on a model typifying Indiana federal interstate highway grade separations, on display at the ISHC exhibit at the Road School.



Fig. 3. The Indiana County Commissioners Association selected Carl Schuckman, of Vincennes (Knox County), to serve as president of their group during the ensuing year. Shown in the photograph, seated left to right, are Schuckman, and Harry Bahler, Remington (Jasper County), vice-president. Standing are Joseph Silcock, West Terre Haute (Vigo County), secretary-treasurer; Claude Hodson, Greensburg, re-elected executive secretary; and L. O. Miltenberger (Wabash County), immediate past-president.

#### Indiana State Highway Commission

David Cohen, East Chicago .....	Chairman
Charles M. Dawson, Indianapolis .....	Vice Chairman
Edward S. Furnish, Vevay .....	Member
J. Earle Wooding, Fort Wayne .....	Member
Roy Whitton, Greenfield .....	Secretary to Commission
George M. Foster, Indianapolis .....	Executive Director
George E. Goodwin, Indianapolis .....	Chief Engineer
J. R. Cooper, Indianapolis .....	Chief Division of Construction
M. L. Hayes, Greenfield .....	Office Engineer, Executive Branch

#### County Highway Supervisors Association

Lawrence Noll, Geneva .....	President
Joseph L. Harrison, Kokomo .....	Vice-President
William F. Taylor, Hartford City .....	Secretary-Treasurer



Fig. 4. Earl E. Hemmeger, Kokomo, was elected president of the Indiana City Engineers Association during the 48th annual Road School at Purdue. He succeeds Howard C. Coblentz, of Lafayette. Shown left to right in the photograph are Robert L. Buschman, Auburn, who was named as secretary-treasurer; Hemmeger; and Coblentz. A. Dan Ruth, West Lafayette city engineer, who was elected vice-president, was absent when the photograph was taken.

#### County Surveyors and County Engineers Association

Joseph Smrt, Knox .....	President
Merle Updike, Brookville .....	Vice-President
John Demmary, Williamsport .....	Vice-President
Robert Myers, Huntington.....	Treasurer
Rohr Smith, Shelbyville .....	Secretary

#### County Commissioners Association

Carl Schuckman, Vincennes .....	President
Harry Bahler, Remington .....	Vice-President
Joseph Silcock, West Terre Haute .....	Secretary-Treasurer
Claude Hodson, Greensburg .....	Executive Secretary

#### City Engineers Association

E. E. Hemmeger, Kokomo .....	President
A. Dan Ruth, West Lafayette .....	Vice-President
Robert L. Buschman, Auburn .....	Secretary-Treasurer

#### Indiana Section Institute of Traffic Engineers

Frank S. Vukovits, South Bend .....	President
H. L. Michael, West Lafayette .....	Vice-President
F. A. Kline, Jr., Anderson .....	Vice-President
G. L. Reyman, Salem .....	Secretary-Treasurer

### Highway Materials and Equipment Association

Tom Goby, Bloomington .....President  
 S. F. Bolyard, Lafayette .....Vice-President  
 John Manwaring, Indianapolis .....Treasurer  
 L. L. Moon, 6128 N. Delaware, Indianapolis .....Secretary

### Indiana Highway Constructors, Inc.

K. M. Winslow, Salem .....President  
 Carl Verplank, Zionsville .....Vice-President  
 Paul H. Sawyers .....Secretary-Treasurer  
 W. M. Holland, 701 Roosevelt Bldg., Indianapolis.....Executive-Secretary

### Indiana Street Commissioners Association

Kenneth Connon, Mishawaka .....President  
 J. L. Coomer, Princeton .....Vice-President  
 Darrel Bowman, Plymouth .....Vice-President  
 Otto A. Bossung, West Lafayette .....Secretary-Treasurer

### Indiana County Auditors Association

Rodney Brown, Bloomington .....President  
 Don Favinger, Knox .....Vice-President  
 Edward Jaberg, Decatur .....Vice-President  
 A. Leroy Lewzader, Terre Haute .....Vice-President  
 Lynn Barkhimer, Columbus .....Secretary-Treasurer



Fig. 5. Among the groups participating in the 48th annual Purdue Road School is the Indiana section of the Institute of Traffic Engineers. This group elected officers last December for the calendar year 1962. Shown left to right are George L. Reyman, Salem, assistant district traffic engineer, Seymour district, secretary-treasurer; Floyd A. Kline, Jr., Anderson, engineer of traffic signals, State Highway Department, second vice-president; Frank S. Vukovits, South Bend, assistant traffic engineer, Greenfield district, president; and Prof. Harold L. Michael, Purdue, first vice-president.



Fig. 6. At a symposium on the management of county roads in relation to future community development, the speakers included, seated left to right, Bernard F. Hillenbrand, executive director, National Association of County Officials, Washington, D. C.; Dean E. T. Weiler, of Purdue's School of Industrial Management, panel moderator; Senator Paul J. Bitz, Evansville, and Representative Walter H. Barbour, Marion county, co-chairmen of the Indiana Highway Study Committee. Standing, left to right, George R. Harvey, secretary-treasurer, Indiana Farm Bureau; Byron Pike, Wayne county commissioner; A. J. Proctor, Indiana Chamber of Commerce; and C. L. Mounsey, supervisor, Federal Land Bank of Louisville.

## DIRECTORY

The 1962 Directory of Indiana State, County, and City Officials Responsible for Road and Street Work was distributed during and after Road School. The directory was compiled by Don G. Shurig, assistant professor of civil engineering.



Fig. 7. Kenneth Connon, Mishawaka, was elected president of the Indiana Street Commissioners Association during the 48th annual Purdue Road School. He succeeds Dan W. Richardson, South Bend. Shown left to right in the photograph are Jacob L. Coomer, Princeton, vice-president; Connon; Otto A. Bossung, West Lafayette, re-elected secretary-treasurer; and Darrel Bowman, Plymouth, vice-president.



Fig. 8. Lawrence Noll, of Geneva (Adams county) was named as president of the County Highway Supervisors Association during the 48th annual Purdue Road School. He succeeds Glenn L. Christenson, Connersville. Shown left to right are Noll; Joseph L. Harrison, Kokomo (Howard county), who was elected vice-president; and William F. Taylor, Hartford City (Blackford county), secretary-treasurer.

#### FORTY-NINTH ANNUAL ROAD SCHOOL

The 49th Annual Road School is scheduled for March 25-28, 1963.



Fig. 9. Speakers at the Wednesday general session of the Purdue Road School included, left to right, George M. Foster, executive director, State Highway Commission; Gordon K. Gravelle, New York consulting engineer and national president of the Institute of Traffic Engineers; Warren B. Warden, Miller-Warden Associates, Swarthmore, Pa.; D. Grant Mickle, Deputy Federal Highway Administrator, Bureau of Public Roads, Washington, D. C.; and Prof. Joseph L. Waling, Purdue, who presided. Nelson Grills, legal counsel, County Commissioners Association, Indianapolis, also spoke but is not shown in the picture.

